

Sept 1, 5508 BC

Era of Constantinople began

5509 BC

Byzantine era starts

Aug. 29, 5502 BC

Alexandrian Era begun

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Began the Alexandrian Era

7,500 \pm A 5,500 BC

Sea level was 20 meters
below present \approx 2000 AD

5500 BC

Earliest known irrigation system
in the world at CHOGA MAMI,
Mesopotamia

Ubaid culture appears in
Mesopotamia, characterized by
domed round houses and fine
painted pottery

7,500 yrs ago (5,500 BC)

By 7,500 yrs ago (5,500 BC) millet gardeners farther north, beside the Yellow River (China) were exploiting the windblown loess of the ice age, a particularly labor-saving soil.

5500 - 1500 C

Kalhu (NIMROD) South
of Uruk in Tigris

c 5500 BC

Pottery was commonly made & used in the neolithic period by people living in scattered villages on the banks of the Yellow River, in the lower & middle reaches of the YANGTZE (CHANGJIANG River) and along the eastern sea coast.

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neolithic

c 5500 BC - 3000 BC

Copper Age

5500 → 3100 BC

Egypt

PRE DY NASTIC period

<u>BC</u>	<u>Upper Egypt (Southern Egypt)</u>	<u>Delta Egypt / Lower Egypt</u>
3100	Protodynastic	Protodynastic
3350	Late Gerzean (Nagada II)	Late Gerzean / Maadi
3500	Early Gerzean (Nagada III)	Omari B ?
4000	Amratian (Nagada I)	Omari A ?
5000	Badarian	Merimda/Fayyum A
(5500 ?)		

(over)

It is the period that saw: effective farming
and herding, metallurgy, pottery making,
shaping of hard stone by grinding, ceremonial
architecture, elaborate burials, effective
river-going sailing craft, long distance
trade, and stratified political and social
systems

5,500 BC

accidental iron. Mesopotamia.

thereafter small piece of accidentally
smelted or meteoritic iron appeared
in rare and treasured objects, e.g.
in Thailand

5500 - 3600 BC

Copper tools are known from both Badarian and Amratian sites in Upper Egypt. But these implements are generally small & simple.

5,500 BC

Cultivation of millet in China.

@ 5500 BQ

The current sea level was
reached.